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prospective Richmond beaux and belles, and Mrs. Welch is such a delightful club

president, that the season of 1903-1904 promises to excel, if possible, those which have preceded it.

by more than one performance on the

The programme will be followed by dancing, and refreshments will be served at 11 o'clock. All the members of the Gesangverein and their families are cordially invited to attend, as the Auxiliary will give a series of monthly entertain-

At the recent convention of the Virginia Daughters of the Confederacy in Norfolk, the motto adopted by the United Division was "Love Makes Memory Eternal." The division flower chosen at the same time is the red and white rose,

the red symbolizing life and the white purity,

Personal Mention.

little son and Miss Smith, of Chicago, are at No. 215 East Franklin Street, hav-

Mrs. F. L. Brown, of Pittsburg, Pa., is at Fort Monroe, Va., the guest of Lieutenant and Mrs. Curtls Roebuck.

The Forget-Me-Not Juvenile Circle of King's Daughters will meet with Miss Louise Richardson at 6 o'clock this after-

RURAL DELIVERY.

Number of Routes in Virginia Increasing Very Rapidly.

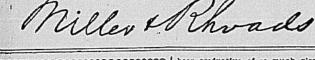
Our New Importations of Art Needlework from Europe Now on Exhibition

Exquisite creations of needlework and embroidery purchased last summer by Miss Koch, the head of our art department, during her trip to the art centres of Europe.

We have provided something for the Richmond public that no other house in America can show.

We could use this entire page to tell you of the chaste, white linens with the dainty embroidery that come from the green meadows of Northern Europe, or the heavier designs, with Bulgarian effects, in silky wools on a canvas mesh, that only the people of Central Europe know how to make perfectly-but a visit to the Art Department or a view of the beauties on exhibition in our windows will give you a far better idea than any words of ours could do. 'Twould seem almost like painting the lily to attempt a word picture on a printed page of such unequalled specimens of art work as are comprised in this importation that has just reached us.

Among the many new stitches are the following: Gittertyl, Kehlim, Koptisch, Bosnisch, Hedobo and Punto Tagliato.



Social and Personal &

The wedding celebration of Miss Bessie Boothe Aylett, the daughter of the late Colonel William Roane Aylett and his wife, Alice Brockenbrough, to the Rev. Austin Brockenbrough Mitchell, of Parkersburg, W. Va., took place in St. David's Church, Aylett's, Va., at Il A. M. yesterday, the Right Rev. Bishop George W. Peterkin, of West Virginia, being the celebrant. isterday, the volume to the chiral the chiral was beautifully decorated in The church was beautifully decorated in the church was beautifully decorated in the chiral was and white chiral the chiral was and white chiral the chiral was a second to the chiral was a s

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The church was beautifully decorated in white and green palms and white chrysanthemums developing the idea. The hyde entered the church with her dame of honor, Mrs. Moses D. Hoge, Jr., of this city. She was gowned in white silk voile built on chiffon and taffeta, with trimmings of accordion-platied chiffon and real lace applique.

Mrs. Hoge, the bride's sister, wore white lace robe over taffeta. Mr. Philip Aylett, of Portsmouth, Va., the eldest brother of the bride, gave her away.

The bridesmalds were: Miss Alice Aylett Calloway, of Nelson county, the niece of the bride; Miss Evelyn Byrd Pollard, Miss Norma Meech, Miss Josephine Sizer, of King William county; Miss Austinia Brockenbrough Knox, of Fredericksburg, Va.; Miss Lucy Winston Quarles, and Miss Melen Maury Quarles, of Richmond; Miss Mary Douglas Causey, of Richmond; Miss Mary Douglas Causey, and Miss Anne Subbs.

Quarles and Miss Helen Maury Quarles, of Richmond; Miss Mary Douglas Causey, of Suffolk, Va., and Miss Annie Stubbs, of Williamsburg.

Their frocks were of white organdy over silk with cream lace insertion and finished with satin girdles. They carried bouquets of maldenhair fern.

The groom was attended by his best man, the Rev. George Otis Meade, of Christ Episcopal Church, this city. The groomsmen were: Lieutenant Robert S. Knox, of the United States army; Mr. Patrick Henry Aylett, of St. Louis; Mr. Francis W. Smith, of King and Queen county, and Mr. James K. Roane, of King William.

county, and Mr. James K. Roane, of King William.

After the ceremony there was a reception at "Montvale," the ancestral home of the Ayletts, noted for many years in Virginia as the center of lavish and delightful hospitality. The gathering yesterday brought family and friends together again, and repeated the charming story of earlier days.

Among the guests from a distance were: Dr. and Mrs. Moses Hoge, Jr., of this city; Dr. and Mrs. William Roane Aylett, of Newport News; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Aylett, of Portsimouth, Mr. Patrick Hendry Aylett, of Portsimouth, Mr. Patrick Hendry Aylett, of Portsimouth, Mr. Patrick Hendry Aylett, of Portsimouth, Mrs. V. F. Brock-enbrough and Miss Alice Brockenbrough, of Warsaw; Miss A. B. Knox, of Fredericksburg; Lleutenant R. S. Knox, of the United States army; Mr. Austin Brock-enbrough, Dr. Albert Palmer, Miss Helen and Miss Lucy Quarles, of Richmond; Miss Annie Stubbs, of Williamsburg, and Miss Annie Stubbs, of Williamsburg, and Miss Mary D. Causey, of Suffolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell will make their future home at Parkersburg, W. va., where Mr. Mitchell is the rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd. He is from Nirginia, and was at one time rector in King William county.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Smith have issued and the party gowns, with the gentle was the marriage of their size.

Mrs. A. J. Montague presided at the meeting of the Board of Managers in the Confederate Home for Needy Women yesterday, The pttendance was large and the report made by the delegates to the Confederate Camp at Newport News-at Mrs. Montague, Mrs. L. O. Miller, Mrs. A. J. Pyle and Miss Reddy-was most The bridge and Miss Redd

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Smith have issued art, and arts. F. C. smith nave issued invitations for the marriage of their sister, Miss Emima Thornton, to Mr. Robert P. Jahnke.

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The ceremony will take place Wednesday, November 18th, at 1:20 P. M., in the Presbyterian Church at Gonzales,

Tex.
The groom-elect is a brother of Mr.
A. F. Jannka, of the west known firm
of opticians and jewelers, this city, and
the announcement has been received with
interest in Richmond.

Mrs. Jennie McPhail Welch will have the first meeting of her Junior Cotilion Club at No. 408 West Main Street, Friday, November 6th from 8 to 10:30 P. M. The club meetings heretofore have

Increasing Very Rapidly.

Perhaps in no other State is the number of Tural free delivery routes increasing more rapidly than in the State of Virginia. There are now more than 65 in the State, and the pay-rolls amount to about \$15,00 monthly. All of these 457 carriers are paid through the local postolice, and the large number of them since the extension of the system has entailed considerable work on Cashler Marriott, of the local office, and other officials of Postmaster Knight's force. Each rural carrier has to make out his voucher and send it in, and it must be in certain exact form, it is quite a tinsk auditing and verifying these vouchers and sending out checks to the carriers, the work requiring nearly ten days monthly.

These fourteen new routes have just been cachiliated in the

EVERYTHING.

Depends on Food.

How often the kind of food eaten determines the question of future health and happiness, or even life or death.

"Our little girl, when five weeks old, had to undergo a very severe operation, which left her unable to take her nourishment in the natural way—that is, by mursing—and, of course, she had to be fed. She was naturally frail, and the food did not help her. At the age of aleyen weeks she was subject to a second operation, and from that time she continued to grow thinner and weaker, until she was but a mere shadow," so writes a lady of Ohio.

"We tried many kinds of infant foods, and the the doctor directed us to try Grape-Nuts she keept gaining until she is now more than two years old and strong and healthy. Her main food has always been Grape-Nuts and to Grape-Nuts she week noticed an improver rapidly. As we continued to give her first week noticed an improve in the first week notice

EITHER TUCKER

Both Will Not Make the Race for the Gubernatorial

Attorney-General William A. Andersor when asked yesterday as to the report contained in a Washington dispatch that Hon. Henry St. George Tucker, of Lexington, would probably be a candidate for the Governorship nomination, but that the

ington, would probably be a candidate for the Governorship nomination, but that the announceement of his candidary awalted a decision on the part of the Attorney-General whether he would enter the race, stated that he did not know what Mr. Tucker's intentions or plans are, but that both would certainly not be candidates for the nomination.

Major Anderson confirms the statement that he has not reached a decision as to his possible candidacy, and adds that there is ample time to consider the matter. He stated, however, that there were no personal reasons affecting his decision, as erroneously reported. "A great many of my friends have urged me to enter the contest," said Major Anderson, "but I have not yet positively decided whether I shall do so or not. My name was repeatedly put forward as a possible aspirant for the honor without my knowledge or sanction, and many of my friends throughout the State have urged me to announce myself. When I have decided the matter I will make an announcement, but it is too early to discuss the matter now."

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matter now."

Major Anderson stated that in the event Mr. Tucker announced his candidacy he would not enter the roce. He spoke in high terms of Mr. Tucker, and declared that he would like to see Mr. Tucker remain available. Asked what he meant by available, he explained that he would regret to see Mr. Tucker remove from Virginia and cease to take part in public affairs in this State. On this point Mr. Tucker's friends assert that he will under no circumstances transfer his residence from Virginia.

While Major Anderson makes no final announcement on the subject, his friends are hopeful that he will enter the fight in 1905. It may be inferred from his statement that he will do so in the event that Mr. Tucker does not aspire, but on this point the Major does not commit himself positively. Major Anderson stated that in

nave precessor it.

Musicale and Social.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Gesangverein Virginia will give their first complimentary musicale and social hop, Monday evening. November 9th.

The prospective pleasure of the occasion will be heightened by the announcement that Mrs. Bertha Volker Richardson will give several vocal numbers, Miss Eleanora Steinbrecher will recite, and Mr. C. Spigle will add to the programme by more than one performance on the



MAN ABOUT TowN

HARRYTUCKER

A ONE-ACT PLAY. (Scene, Washington; time, P. M.; date,

As the curtain goes up, Manager Charlie McKee is discovered in the middle of Pennsylvania Avenue, with four cabmen, L. C., L. W. E., C. and L. I. McKee—Ye gods and little fishes, where Chorus of Cabmen-In Washington,

am I at?
Chorus of Cabmen—In Washington,
D. C. As you can plainly see.
McK.—Thanks, my noble friends. What
dost cost, as it were, to put me off, in
all my dignity within close touch of the
Theatre Lafayette, ecad?'
First Cabby—Fifty cents.
Second Cabby—(With flourish of whip)—
Forty cents.
Third Cabby—(Orlving close to curb)—
Thirty cents.
Fourth Cabby—(Opening door of cab)—
Twenty-five cents.
McK.—(In state of mental excitement)—
Ain't this a union town?
(Enter Policeman.)
Policeman—What's this row all about?
McK.—Sweet me cop, these minions seek
to rob me of me gains.
Policeman—Avaunt! (To cabmen.)
(Bus—Grand rush of cabs around Sixth
Street, towards Jim Lawrence's.) (Turning to McKee.)
Now, me man, what can I do for yez?
McK.—Show me the way to go home,
and I'll give you a pass to the Bijou
Theatre.
Policeman—Take the car to Anacostia,

Lieutenant R. E. Wright, of the United States cutter revenue service, joined his wife in Richmond Wednesday evening. Lieutenant and Mrs. Wright will be with Mrs. Wright's brother, Mr. Peyton Grymes, in West End, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith, Jr., their little was and Miss. Smith, of Chicago.

Theatre. Policeman-Take the car to Anacostia

get off at the end of the line, and walk about a mile, straight ahead. McK.-Thanks, rM. Constable; but ere wouldst direct me to the Lafayette

I go, wouldst direct me to the Lafayette
Theatre?
Policeman—To be, of course. Walk up
that way nine blocks, turn to the right
for three blocks, then to the left for
two blocks, then to the right one block,
and them's it.
McK.—You're very much oblige to me.
(Picks up carpet bag and proceeds according to instructions.)
(Scene shifts. 1 A. M. Pennsylvania
Avenue and Four and One-half Street.)
McKee discovered with four cabmen
surrounding him.
McK.—Whassar mazzer. Wheesh Lala-lat Slater at?
Chorus—
We wouldn't like to say;
We'll tell some other day;
Ain't this the place
You want to get off?
McK.—How many shoe felows di
'ngage?
Chorus—

Miss Josie Buchanan, of Norfolk, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Perkins, of No. 615 North Twenty-third Street. Miss Anna Smith and Mr. T. Frank Grigg were quietly married Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. M. T. Monroe, of No. 162 South Cherry Street, the Rev. Dr. Hutson officiating.

All of us; that is a fact, And all of us have brought you back. McK.—How mush ish it?

ChorusFour big plunks and sixty cents,
An' you will get your recompence.
(Prys four-sixty.)
McK.-For goodnesh shake, Will you
please take me back to that dear Rich-(Curtain.)

We wish to say in this manner, for the benefit of our friends who have been call-ing us up over the 'phone, that we have not got our eye on the gubernatorial

chair.

We have plenty of chairs of our own, some with the seats worn out and some with wooden seats, and some with cushions in them.

The gubernatorial chair has no charms for us. It is a stiff-back, uncomfortable sort of a thing.

We'd rather have a nice, easy couch, like those in Jurgens' window, so we can take an afternoon's slesta in comfort.

And, besides that, the Governor is a good friend of ours. We have been around together, and made speeches at the same tables.

monthly.

These fourtieen new routes have just been established in this Sinte, many of them being in the Valley of Virginia:
Woodstock, John E. Bewis, earrier; salary, 1960 per annum, and Jasper C. Hottel, salary 1960.
Spout Spring, James E. Chick and William D. Robertson, carriers, salary 1960.

Hasham, Millard F. Basham, salary 1960.

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Potato Weighs Ten Pounds.

The Methodist Institute is in possession of the largest sweet potato yet re-orted in Viginia for this season. It weighs ten pounds. It was sent to the institute by Mr. Lafayette Mann, of Amelia co-ont. On Tuesday night next the polato will be cooked at Lie training school of the institute.

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high or cut away, if low neck is desired. The sleeves may be three-quarter or full length, bishop style. The materials usually preferred for these gowns are long cloth, cambric, muslin, outing and washabe finnnels, Nainsook will be dainty, using val. or torchon lace or allover embroidery for the yoke.

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On receipt of 10 cents this pattern win be sent to any address. All orders must be directed to THE LITTLE FOLKS PATTERN CO., 78 Fifth Avenue, New York. When ordering, please do not fall to mention number. No. 6066.

Name.... BAPTISTS HAVE RAISED

A HUNDRED THOUSAND

It is a source of congratultaien to the Baptists of the State that the receipts for missions and other benevolent nurposes this year will amount to more than \$106,00. The report of Traisurer Jacob to the association at Staunton naxt week will be the best ever presented. About \$25,000 was raised tast year, Next year an effort will be made to raise \$10,000.

Receipts Increase.

The receipts of the local postoffice for the month of October show a most gratifying increase, it amounting to more than 12 per cent for that month. The receipts for October of the present year tare 134,1818, compared with 180,281 for the corresponding week of 1902, and increase of 13,73,08, The increase for Last increase of 13,73,08, The increase of 13,

THE CENTRAL

on the Negro Problem in the South.

The Central Presbyterian has fallen into line, and this week gives an editorial to the negro question and the churches cipitated by the Religious Herald, and followed by the Baptist ministers.

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In the course of its utterance the Central says it expects to see a great revival of interest in the churches in the South in the religious welfare of the colored people. The time is not far off, it says, when these churches will be quickened with a profound sense of duty concerning the negro race. The Central commends the work being already done by conservative men, but it places its greatest hope in the gospel of Christ.

There is no question here of face separation, of social equality, of political rights, of law or education, it says. Whatever is the importance of these things, they are all aside and immaterial compared with our responsibility to teach the colored people a religion that is moral now and saving hereafter. * *

All the schemes of improvement by law, by education, by moral teaching, by phillanthropy, may each one have some amount of good and need attention. But the one thing that can save the negro race from destruction and uplift it, and can bring abiding peace between the races who must dwell together in the South, is the saving knowledge of the gospel of God's grace.

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God's grace. faction. The show is well mounted, and

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Mr. Stearnes Here-Superintendent Southall Back.

Mr. R. C. Stearnes, of Salem, superintendent of schools of Roanoke county and president of the Virginia State Teachers' Association, is in the city conferring with the State Education Department as to the second annual convention of that organization to be held at Charlottesville November 19th to 21st, inclusive. The programme 19th to 21st, inclusive. The programme for the convention includes the topics for discussion by the teachers, all of them of live interest to the pedagogue. The programme in full, with the list of speakers, will be published in a few days.

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Dr. J. W. Southall, superintendent of public instructioe, returned to the city yesterday from Petersburg, where he attended the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Virginia Normal and Industrial Institute of that city, a school for colored youths of both sexes. Dr. Southall is ex-officio a member of the boars. Captain C. E. Vawer, of the Miller Manual Labor School at Crozet, is rector of the Petersburg school, which has recently been converted into an industrial institute, where the ancient and modern foreign languages were taght, to a practical industrial and manual training institution has been accomplished almost imperceptibly, yet complished almost imperceptibly. The sand all were present except Mr. Glass. There was no business before the board, the meeting being just one of inspection. This was highly attisfactory, however, showing the school to be in excellent condition and doing fine work.

There were present with Captain and Mrs. Vawter two Boston ladies, Mrs. Dickerman and Miss Dickerman, who expressed themselves as well pleased with the work being done by the institution.

CHESTNUT HILL

AND HIGHLAND PARK

Miss Annie Gwathmey, of King William, is the guest of Miss Katherine Gunn. Mr. Mortimer McCluer and little

Mr. Mortimer McCluer and little son, Edwin, left Wednesday last to visit the former's mother, in Louisa county. The Young People's Flinch Club will be entertained to-night at the residence of Miss Maude Livesay.

Miss Nettle Rennie, of Amelia county, is visiting her brother, Mr. Frank Rennie.

Mr. Julius Redd is the guest of his trothers, Dr. Paul Redd, and Mr. Willie

trothers, Dr. Paul Redd, and Mr. Willie Redd.

The roll of honor for Highland Park School ending for the week of October 20th, is as follows:

Fith Grammar, Miss Mary Pemberton, teacher—Mary Starke (four weeks), Mildred Clarke (two weeks), Bessie Carter (two weeks), Bessie Carter (two weeks), Bessie Carter (two weeks), Bessie Ratcliffe, Bertha Marshall, Virginia Roane, Bernard Henley, Harvey Ratcliffe,

Third Grammar-Fannie Gray (six weeks), Gertrude Royal (two weeks), Elizabeth Bowman and Marle Todd.

Mrs. John Tatum has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nuckles, of Henrico county.

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Mrs. Wills, of Powhatan county, is the guest of Mrs. C. W. Vaughan, of Highland Park, this week.

Miss Martha Tiller has returned after spending some time with relatives in Hanover county.

BARTON HEIGHTS.

Miss Elizabeth Townsend, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. N. B. Croxton, will return to Norfolk this week.
Miss Maria Lee, who has been visiting riends in Washington, has returned home.

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Mr. T. R. Sutherland, of Richmond, has moved into the residence recently vacated by Mr. J. W. Knapp.

Miss Bessie Kittinger, who has been slok, is able to be out.

Mrs. White has returned home after a visit to her mother in Louisa.

Mr. John E. Meadow, who has been visiting his father in Galveston, Tex., has returned home.

Mr. David Simpson has returned from a trip to Philadelphia.

Mr. Oliver Dotson, who has been on a trip to Philadelphia.

Mr. Cilver Dotson, who has been on a business trip to New York, has returned. Miss Goldie Grubbs has left for Powhatan to visit relatives on North Avenue.

Mr. Bryant, who has been visiting Mr. Lee, of Ladles' Mile Road, has returned to Gordonsville.

Miss Pattle Christian, of Fairmount, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Gregory.

Mrs. Nammah Jarel, of Heirico county, is the guest of Miss Meta Wikinson.

Master J. C. Meadow, who has been at the Memorial Hospital, will return home this week.

Mrs. Carrie Davis, of King William, is visiting Mrs. Sinithers, of Brookland Park.

Oyster Supper.

This evening from 7 to 10 the Ladies' Ald Society of Broad Street Church will give an oyster support in the tecture room of the church. An interesting programme will be rendered also, and it is to be hoped they will have a large attendance.

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Irish Potatoes, peck22
Large cans Tomatoes, can8
Small cans Tomatoes, can
.Cut Herring, dozen10
Swift's Silver Lard, pound
Swift's Silver Lard, pound
Butchers' Lard, poundII
Good Lard, 9c; or, 3 pounds for25
Mother's Oats, package
Mother's Oats, package
Seeded Raisins, 1-pound packages10
Virginia Buckwheat, 7 pounds for25
Table Peaches, 2 cans for25
Cocoanuts, each4
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Full Cream Cheese, pound
Best Evaporated Peaches, pound
Prunes, 7 pounds for25
Titules, 7 pounds for the first firs
- Malta Vita12
Wilson Whiskey, bottle90
Fulcher Whiskey, bottle\$1.0
Moore's Crown Rye, gallon\$3.0
Modes Clown Ryc, garlon
Duffy's Malt, bottle80
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ANIMAL STORIES FOR OUR BOYS AND GIRLS

More Than Spot Could Stand. Spot would not pull the wagon for the

"Never mind," said Ethel, "I know how we can make him go. Let's tie a tin can to his tall. Brother Tom makes



nim.

Then Spot began to run. The faster he ran the louder the tin can rattled. The little girls screamed and pulled on the lines, but there was no stopping Spot.

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They saw a gentleman coming up the street. "Oh, papa!" Dalsy cried. "Stop him—stop Spot! We'll be killed. He's running away!"

Dalsy's papa stopped the runaway. Then he asked: "Why, little daughter, what's this you've tied to Spot's tail?"

Both little girls were crying. "It was just a tin can we tied to his tail 'cause he wouldn't go, and Ethel said a tin can would make him go," Dalsy's papa said, laughing. "But I don't believe you ever want to try it again, do you?" Both little girls said no. Then Dalsy's papa put them in the wagon and led old Spot home, a sadder and wiser dog.

JOURNAL OF COMMERCE.

An Attractive New Paper Makes Its Appearance Here.

The first issue of the Journal of Com-merce, to be published monthly by the Harris Frinting Company, at No. 1233 East Franklin Street, appeared yesterdal, It is a most attractive number, well got-ten up and filled with well selected mat-ter.

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It is intended to make it a permanent institution, and it will doubtless be of great value to the business men of Richmond. In its initial editorial the paper says:

We tender the free use of our columns to the Chamber of Commerce, the Fruit and Produce Association, Richmond Grain and Cotton Exchange, Richmond Stock Exchange, Richmond Tobacco Trade, Wholesale Gracers' Association and any other organization promoting the weal of any trade or industry, and trust that the officers of the above named organizations will avail themselves of this offer as often as they can use our space to advantage.



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